

# Claremont Unified School District

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## BY FEDERAL EXPRESS

November 15, 2010

Los Angeles County Counsel  
500 W. Temple Street, Suite 652  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Attention: Cammy DuPont, Esq.

Re: Claremont Unified School District, 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds: Request to the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors to Levy Taxes and to Direct the Auditor-Controller to Place Taxes on Tax Roll.

Dear Ms. DuPont:

On October 21, 2010, the Board of Education of the Claremont Unified School District (the "District") adopted a resolution (the "District Resolution") authorizing the issuance and sale of its 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series A (the "Bonds") in an aggregate principal amount not-to-exceed \$91,000,000, pursuant to Section 53550 *et seq.* of the Government Code, for the purpose of refunding all or a portion of the following outstanding general obligation bonds of the District: (i) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series A, (ii) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series B, and (iii) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series C.

The District hereby formally requests, in accordance with Education Code Section 15250, that the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors (the "County Board") adopt a resolution (the "County Resolution") to levy the appropriate taxes, to direct the County Auditor-Controller to place these taxes on the tax roll every year according to a debt service schedule to be supplied by the District, and to direct the County Treasurer and Tax Collector to serve as the Paying Agent for the Bonds. A form of the County Resolution is being sent to your attention under separate cover by our bond counsel. Once you've completed your review, please forward it to the Executive Office of the County Board for inclusion on the agenda of the earliest practicable meeting thereof.

After the Board has taken action on this letter, the District also respectfully requests that the Executive Officer-Clerk of the County Board furnish two (2) certified copies of the adopted resolution to our bond counsel, Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, a Professional Corporation, at 44 Montgomery Street, Suite 4200, San Francisco, CA 94104, Attn: David Casnocha, and send one (1) copy of the adopted resolution to each of the following:

- (a) Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector  
Attention: John Patterson  
500 W. Temple Street, Suite 437  
Los Angeles, CA 90012
- (b) Los Angeles County Auditor-Controller  
Attention: Sanford Johnson  
500 W. Temple Street, Suite 603  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Sincerely,

CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

By: A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lisa Shoemaker".

Lisa Shoemaker  
Assistant Superintendent, Business Services

cc: David Casnocha, Esq.

Enclosures

## ADOPTED

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

66 November 30, 2010

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SACHIN A. HAMAI  
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS OF THE CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, DESIGNATING THE PAYING AGENT THEREFOR AND DIRECTING THE COUNTY AUDITOR-CONTROLLER TO MAINTAIN TAXES ON THE TAX ROLL**

WHEREAS, a duly called election was held in the Claremont Unified School District (the "District"), County of Los Angeles (the "County"), State of California on June 6, 2000 (the "Election") and thereafter canvassed pursuant to law;

WHEREAS, at the Election there was submitted to and approved by the requisite two-thirds vote of the qualified electors of the District a question as to the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds of the District for various purposes set forth in the ballot submitted to the voters, in the maximum principal amount of \$48,910,000, payable from the levy of an *ad valorem* tax against the taxable property in the District (the "Authorization");

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County (the "County Board") previously issued under the Authorization on behalf of the District \$12,000,000 original principal amount of Claremont Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series A (the "Series A Bonds");

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the District (the "District Board") previously issued under the Authorization on behalf of the District \$28,910,000 original principal amount of Claremont Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series B (the "Series B Bonds");

WHEREAS, the District Board previously issued under the Authorization on behalf of the District \$8,000,000 original principal amount of Claremont Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series C (the "Series C Bonds", and together with the Series A Bonds and Series B Bonds, the "Prior Bonds");

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the District determined in a resolution adopted on October 21, 2010 (the "District Resolution") to authorize the issuance and sale of one or more series of general obligation refunding bonds (the "Bonds") in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$40,000,000 to refund all or a portion of the Prior Bonds pursuant to Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580 respectively) of the California Government Code;

WHEREAS, the County Board has been formally requested by the District to levy taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds when due, and to direct the Auditor-Controller of the County to maintain on its tax roll, and all subsequent tax rolls, taxes sufficient to fulfill the requirements of the debt service schedule for the Bonds that will be provided to the Auditor-Controller by the District following the sale of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, the District has appointed the County of Los Angeles Treasurer and Tax Collector (the "Treasurer") to act as the authenticating agent, bond registrar, transfer agent

and paying agent (collectively, the "Paying Agent") for the Bonds pursuant to the District Resolution, and that the Treasurer is authorized to contract with a third party to perform the services of Paying Agent.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Levy of Taxes. That this Board levy taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

SECTION 2. Preparation of Tax Roll. That the Auditor-Controller of the County of Los Angeles is hereby directed to maintain on its tax roll, and all subsequent tax rolls, taxes in an amount sufficient to fulfill the requirements of the debt service schedule for the Bonds, which will be provided to the Auditor-Controller by the District following the sale of the Bonds.

SECTION 3. Paying Agent. That the Treasurer, or the Treasurer's third-party designee, act as Paying Agent for the Bonds. The Treasurer is authorized to contract with a third party to perform the services of Paying Agent.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

The foregoing resolution was adopted on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2010, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles and ex officio the governing body of all other special assessment and taxing districts, agencies and authorities for which said Board so acts.



SACHI A. HAMAI, Executive  
Officer-Clerk of the Board of  
Supervisors of the County of Los  
Angeles

By:

Lachelle Amitherman  
Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDIN  
COUNTY COUNSEL

By:

Ann Sheridan Ordin  
Principal Deputy County Counsel

# Claremont Unified School District

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AGENDA ITEM

## XI. B. 1

10-21-10

Memorandum

**To:** Board of Education

**Date:** October 21, 2010

**From:** Terry L. Nichols, Ed.D.  
Superintendent

**Re:** GO Bond Refunding Resolution

The attached memo and Resolution #11 – 2011, from Lisa Shoemaker, Assistant Superintendent, Business Services, delineates the process by which the existing General Obligation Bonds (GO bonds) are refunded. The District must approve this resolution which establishes all of the parameters for retiring the existing bonds and the re – issuance of new bonds. District staff, working with the District finance team, has gathered and provided extensive information to allow for a complete bond rating analysis. The benefit to taxpayers of refunding the bonds is analyzed on a "net" basis. The potential savings to taxpayers is net of all costs associated with the financial transactions of refunding.

**Recommended Action:** To approve Resolution #11-2011 Resolution of the Board of Education of the Claremont Unified School District Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds.

# Claremont Unified School District

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Memorandum

**To:** Dr. Terry Nichols

**Date:** October 21, 2010

**From:** Lisa Shoemaker

**Re:** GO Bond Refunding Resolution

## Background

In 2000, the voters of the District authorized the issuance of \$48,910,000 of general obligation bonds, which have been issued and are now outstanding in the amount of \$37,795,000. On September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2010, the Board of Education authorized District staff to work with financial advisors in order to determine an appropriate structure for refinance or "refunding" the District's existing general obligation bonds. Although the original bonds were issued at extremely competitive market rates for the time, the bond market is currently enjoying even lower rates, making it an extremely opportune time to refund the existing bonds and replace them with even lower rate instruments, ultimately generating significant savings for local taxpayers.

## Discussion

In order to refund the existing GO Bonds, the District must approve a resolution establishing all of the parameters for retirement of existing bonds and re-issuance of new bonds. The appropriate resolution is attached to this memo.

In addition, the newly refunded bonds must be rated by rating agencies, and accordingly, District staff, working with the District's finance team, has gathered and provided extensive information to allow for a complete bond rating analysis to be performed by both Standard & Poor's, and Moody's rating agencies. It is hoped that by the date of the Board Meeting, staff will have the bond ratings and be able to share those with the Board.

## Board Goals

Because this is a fiduciary responsibility item, it supports all board goals.

## Fiscal Implications

The benefit to taxpayers of refunding the bonds is analyzed on a "net" basis. The potential savings to taxpayers is net of all costs associated with the financial transaction of refunding.

**Recommended Action:** To approve Resolution #11-2010 Resolution of the Board of Education of the Claremont Unified School District Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds

**RESOLUTION NO. 11-2011****RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CLAREMONT  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE  
OF CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (LOS ANGELES COUNTY,  
CALIFORNIA) 2010 GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS**

**WHEREAS**, a duly called special bond election was held in the Claremont Unified School District, Los Angeles County, State of California (hereinafter referred to as the "District"), on June 6, 2000 (the "Authorization") and thereafter canvassed pursuant to law;

**WHEREAS**, at such election there was submitted to and approved by more than the requisite two thirds vote of the qualified electors of the District a question as to the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds of the District for various purposes set forth in the ballot submitted to the voters, in the maximum principal amount of \$48,910,000, payable from the levy of an ad valorem tax against the taxable property in the District (the "Election");

**WHEREAS**, on August 16, 2000 the County of Los Angeles (the "County") issued on behalf of the District its first series of bonds authorized by the Election in the aggregate principal amount of \$12,000,000 (the "Series A Bonds");

**WHEREAS**, on March 28, 2002 the Board of Education of the District (the "Board") issued a second series of such Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$28,910,000 (the "Series B Bonds");

**WHEREAS**, on May 6, 2004, the Board of Education of the District issued a third series of such Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$8,000,000 (the "Series C Bonds" together with the Series A Bonds and Series B Bonds, the "Prior Bonds");

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 53550 of the Government Code of the State of California (the "Government Code"), the District is authorized to issue refunding bonds (the "Refunding Bonds") to currently refund all or a portion of the remaining outstanding Prior Bonds (collectively, the "Refunded Bonds");

**WHEREAS**, all acts, conditions and things required by law to be done or performed have been done and performed in strict conformity with the laws authorizing the issuance of general obligation refunding bonds of the District, and the indebtedness of the District, including this proposed issue of Refunding Bonds, is within all limits prescribed by law;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1. Purpose.** To refund all or a portion of the remaining outstanding principal amount of the Refunded Bonds, and to pay all necessary legal, financial, and contingent costs in connection therewith, the District hereby authorizes the issuance of the Refunding Bonds, to be styled as "Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds" (the "Refunding Bonds"), in one or more series, in an aggregate

principal amount not-to-exceed \$43,000,000, and with appropriate series designation if more than one series is issued. Additional costs authorized to be paid from the proceeds of the Refunding Bonds are all of the authorized costs of issuance set forth in Section 53550(e) and (f) and Section 53587 of the Government Code.

**SECTION 2. Paying Agent.** The Board does hereby appoint the Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector to act as the authenticating agent, bond registrar, transfer agent and paying agent (collectively, the "Paying Agent") for the Refunding Bonds. The Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector is authorized to contract with any third party to perform the services of the Paying Agent. The District acknowledges that ongoing expenses and fees of the Paying Agent and all other fees and costs incurred in connection with the Bonds will be paid by the District.

**SECTION 3. Terms and Conditions of Sale.** The Refunding Bonds shall be sold at one or more negotiated sales upon the direction of the Superintendent of the District (the "Superintendent") or the Assistant Superintendent, Business Services of the District (the "Assistant Superintendent"). The Refunding Bonds shall be sold pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in the Purchase Contract, as described below.

**SECTION 4. Approval of Purchase Contract.** The form of Purchase Contract (the "Purchase Contract") by and between the District and Piper Jaffray & Co., as the underwriter (the "Underwriter"), for the purchase and sale of the Refunding Bonds, substantially in the form on file with the Secretary to the Board, is hereby approved and the Superintendent, the Assistant Superintendent, or a designated deputy thereof (the "Authorized Officers"), each alone, are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Purchase Contract, but with such changes therein, deletions therefrom and modifications thereto as such Authorized Officer may approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by his or her execution and delivery thereof; provided, however, that the maximum interest rates of the Refunding Bonds shall not exceed the maximum rate permitted by law, and the Underwriter's (defined herein) discount, excluding original issue discount thereon, shall not exceed 1% of the aggregate principal amount of the Refunding Bonds. The Authorized Officers, each alone, are further authorized to determine the principal amount of the Refunding Bonds to be specified in the Purchase Contract for sale by the District up to \$43,000,000 and to enter into and execute the Purchase Contract with the Underwriter, if the conditions set forth in this Resolution are satisfied.

**SECTION 5. Certain Definitions.** As used in this Resolution, the terms set forth below shall have the meanings ascribed to them (unless otherwise set forth in the Purchase Contract):

- (a) "Act" means Sections 53550 *et seq.* of the California Government Code.
- (b) "Accreted Interest" means, with respect to the Capital Appreciation Bonds, the Accreted Value thereof minus the Denominational Amount thereof as of the date of calculation.
- (c) "Accreted Value" means with respect to the Capital Appreciation Bonds, as of the date of calculation, the Denominational Amount thereof, plus Accreted Interest thereon to such date of calculation, compounded semiannually on each February 1 and August 1 (commencing on February 1, 2011 (unless otherwise provided in the Purchase Contract)) at the stated Accretion Rate to maturity thereof, assuming in any such semiannual period that such Accreted Value increases in equal daily amounts on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

(d) **“Accretion Rate”** means, unless otherwise provided by the Purchase Contract, that rate which, when applied to the Denominational Amount of any Capital Appreciation Bond and compounded semiannually on each February 1 and August 1 (commencing February 1, 2011), produces the Maturity Value on the maturity date.

(e) **“Authorization”** means the authorization received by the District to issue the Prior Bonds at an election held on June 6, 2000.

(f) **“Bond Insurer”** means any insurance company which issues a municipal bond insurance policy insuring the payment of principal and Maturity Value of and interest on the Refunding Bonds.

(g) **“Bond Payment Date”** means, unless otherwise provided by the Purchase Contract, February 1 and August 1 of each year commencing February 1, 2011 with respect to the interest on the Current Interest Bonds, August 1 of each year commencing August 1, 2011 with respect to the principal payments on the Current Interest Bonds and, with respect to the Capital Appreciation Bonds, the stated maturity dates thereof, as applicable.

(h) **“Capital Appreciation Bonds”** means the Refunding Bonds the Accreted Interest component of which is compounded semiannually on each Bond Payment Date to maturity as shown in the table of Accreted Value for such Refunding Bonds in the Official Statement.

(i) **“Current Interest Bonds”** means the Refunding Bonds the interest on which is payable semiannually on each Bond Payment Date specified for each such Bond as designated and maturing in the years and in the amounts set forth in the Purchase Contract.

(j) **“Denominational Amount”** means, with respect to the Capital Appreciation Bonds, the initial principal amount thereof.

(k) **“Depository”** means the entity acting as securities depository for the Refunding Bonds pursuant to Section 6(c) hereof.

(l) **“DTC”** means The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041, Tel: (212) 855-1000 or Fax: (212) 855-7320, a limited purpose trust company organized under the laws of the State of New York, in its capacity as Depository for the Refunding Bonds.

(m) **“Escrow Agent”** means U.S. Bank National Association, or any other successor thereto, in its capacity as escrow agent for the Refunded Bonds.

(n) **“Escrow Agreement”** means the agreement governing the deposit of funds or securities to refund the Refunded Bonds, dated as of November 1, 2010 (or such other date as specified in the Official Statement), or such other date as provided therein, by and between the District and Escrow Agent.

(o) **“Federal Securities”** means direct or indirect noncallable obligations of, or noncallable, nonprepayable obligations unconditionally guaranteed as to full and timely payment of principal and interest by, the United States of America, but excluding investments in mutual funds or unit investment trusts.



(p) **“Information Services”** means Financial Information, Inc.’s Financial Daily Called Bond Service; Mergent, Inc.’s Called Bond Department; or Standard & Poor’s J. J. Kenny Information Services Called Bond Service.

(q) **“Maturity Value”** means the Accreted Value of any Capital Appreciation Bond on its maturity date.

(r) **“Nominee”** means the nominee of the Depository, which may be the Depository, as determined from time to time pursuant to Section 6(c) hereof.

(s) **“Participants”** means those broker-dealers, banks and other financial institutions from time to time for which the Depository holds book-entry certificates.

(t) **“Paying Agent”** means Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector or any successor thereto, acting as the authenticating agent, bond registrar, transfer agent and paying agent for the Refunding Bonds.

(u) **“Principal” or “Principal Amount”** means, with respect to any Current Interest Bond, the principal or principal amount thereof and, with respect to any Capital Appreciation Bond, the Denominational Amount.

(v) **“Record Date”** means the fifteenth (15th) day of the month preceding each Bond Payment Date.

(w) **“Securities Depositories”** means The Depository Trust Company, 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041, Tel: (212) 855-1000 or Fax: (212) 855-7320.

(x) **“Term Bonds”** means those Refunding Bonds for which mandatory redemption dates have been established in the Purchase Contract.

(y) **“Transfer Amount”** means, with respect to any outstanding Current Interest Bond, the Principal Amount and, with respect to any Capital Appreciation Bond, the Maturity Value.

#### **SECTION 6. Terms of the Refunding Bonds.**

(a) **Denomination, Interest, Dated Dates.** The Refunding Bonds shall be issued as bonds registered as to both principal and interest, in the denominations of, with respect to the Current Interest Bonds, \$5,000 Principal Amount or any integral multiple thereof, and with respect to the Capital Appreciation Bonds, \$5,000 Maturity Value or any integral multiple thereof (except for that one Capital Appreciation Bond may be issued in an odd denomination). The Refunding Bonds will be initially registered to “Cede & Co.,” the nominee of DTC.

Each Current Interest Bond shall be dated the date of delivery of the Refunding Bonds or such other date as shall appear in the Purchase Contract or the Official Statement (the “Date of Delivery”), and shall bear interest at the rates set forth in the Purchase Contract from the Bond Payment Date next preceding the date of authentication thereof unless it is authenticated as of a day during the period from the 15th day of the month next preceding any Bond Payment Date to that Bond Payment Date, inclusive, in which event it shall bear interest from such Bond Payment Date, or unless it is authenticated on or before January 15, 2011 or such other date set forth in the Purchase

Contract or the Official Statement, in which event it shall bear interest from the Date of Delivery. Interest with respect to the Current Interest Bonds shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

Each Capital Appreciation Bond shall be dated, and shall accrete interest from, its date of initial issuance. Capital Appreciation Bonds will not bear interest on a current basis.

The Capital Appreciation Bonds shall mature in the years and shall be issued in the aggregate Principal Amounts set forth in the Purchase Contract or the Official Statement and shall compound interest at the Accretion Rates and shall have Denominational Amounts per each five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in Maturity Value as shown in the Accreted Value Table attached to the Official Statement; provided, that in the event that the amount shown in such Accreted Value Table and the Accreted Value calculated by the District and approved by the Bond Insurer by application of the definition of Accreted Value set forth in Section 5 differ, the latter amount shall be the Accreted Value of such Capital Appreciation Bond.

The Refunding Bonds shall bear or accrete interest at a rate or rates such that the average interest rates and maximum interest yields of the Refunding Bonds shall not exceed the maximum rate permitted by law. Interest shall be payable on the respective Bond Payment Dates. No Refunding Bond attributable to the refunding of the Series A Bonds shall mature later than August 1, 2024; no Refunding Bond attributable to the refunding of the Series B Bonds shall mature later than August 1, 2026; no Refunding Bond attributable to the refunding of the Series C Bonds shall mature later than August 1, 2028.

(b) Redemption.

(i) Optional Redemption. The Refunding Bonds shall be subject to optional redemption prior to maturity as provided in the Purchase Contract or the Official Statement.

(ii) Mandatory Redemption. Any Refunding Bonds issued as Term Bonds shall be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption as provided in the Purchase Contract or the Official Statement.

(iii) Selection of Refunding Bonds for Redemption. Whenever provision is made in this Resolution for the redemption of Refunding Bonds and less than all Outstanding Refunding Bonds are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent, upon written instruction from the District, shall select Refunding Bonds for redemption as so directed and if not directed, in inverse order of maturity. Within a maturity, the Paying Agent shall select Refunding Bonds for redemption by lot. Redemption by lot shall be in such manner as the Paying Agent shall determine; provided, however, that the portion of any Current Interest Bond to be redeemed in part shall be in the Principal Amount of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof and the portion of any Capital Appreciation Bond to be redeemed in part shall be in integral multiples of the Accreted Value per \$5,000 Maturity Value thereof.

(iv) Notice of Redemption. When redemption is authorized or required pursuant to Section 6(b)(i) hereof, the Paying Agent, upon written instruction from the District, shall give notice (a "Redemption Notice") of the redemption of the Refunding Bonds. Such Redemption Notice shall specify: the Refunding Bonds or designated portions thereof (in the case of redemption of the Refunding Bonds in part but not in whole) which are to be

redeemed, the date of redemption, the place or places where the redemption will be made, including the name and address of the Paying Agent, the redemption price, the CUSIP numbers (if any) assigned to the Refunding Bonds to be redeemed, the Refunding Bond numbers of the Refunding Bonds to be redeemed in whole or in part and, in the case of any Refunding Bond to be redeemed in part only, the Principal Amount of such Refunding Bond to be redeemed, and the original issue date, interest rate or Accretion Rate and stated maturity date of each Refunding Bond to be redeemed in whole or in part. Such Redemption Notice shall further state that on the specified date there shall become due and payable upon each Refunding Bond or portion thereof being redeemed at the redemption price thereof, together with the interest accrued or accreted to the redemption date thereon, and that from and after such date, interest with respect thereto shall cease to accrue or accrete.

The Paying Agent shall take the following actions with respect to such Redemption Notice:

(A) At least 30 but not more than 45 days prior to the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given to the respective Owners (defined herein) of Refunding Bonds designated for redemption by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, at their addresses appearing on the Bond Register.

(B) At least 30 but not more than 45 days prior to the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given by (i) registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, (ii) telephonically confirmed facsimile transmission, or (iii) overnight delivery service to the Depository.

(C) At least 30 but not more than 45 days prior to the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given by (i) registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, or (ii) overnight delivery service to one of the Information Services.

Neither failure to receive any Redemption Notice nor any defect in any such Redemption Notice so given shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for the redemption of the affected Refunding Bonds. Each check issued or other transfer of funds made by the Paying Agent for the purpose of redeeming Refunding Bonds shall bear or include the CUSIP number identifying, by issue and maturity, the Refunding Bonds being redeemed with the proceeds of such check or other transfer.

(v) Partial Redemption of Refunding Bonds. Upon the surrender of any Refunding Bond redeemed in part only, the Paying Agent shall execute and deliver to the Owner thereof a new Refunding Bond or Refunding Bonds of like tenor and maturity and of authorized denominations equal in Transfer Amounts to the unredeemed portion of the Bond surrendered. Such partial redemption shall be valid upon payment of the amount required to be paid to such Owner, and the District shall be released and discharged thereupon from all liability to the extent of such payment.

(vi) Effect of Notice of Redemption. Notice having been given as aforesaid, and the moneys for the redemption (including the interest accrued or accreted to the applicable date of redemption) having been set aside in the District's Debt Service Fund, the Refunding Bonds to be redeemed shall become due and payable on such date of redemption.

If on such redemption date, money for the redemption of all the Refunding Bonds to be redeemed as provided in Section 6(b)(i) hereof, together with interest accrued or accreted to such redemption date, shall be held by the Paying Agent so as to be available therefor on such redemption

date, and if notice of redemption thereof shall have been given as aforesaid, then from and after such redemption date, interest with respect to the Refunding Bonds to be redeemed shall cease to accrue or accrete and become payable. All money held by or on behalf of the Paying Agent for the redemption of Refunding Bonds shall be held in trust for the account of the Owners of the Refunding Bonds so to be redeemed.

All Refunding Bonds paid at maturity or redeemed prior to maturity pursuant to the provisions of this Section 6 shall be cancelled upon surrender thereof and be delivered to or upon the order of the District. All or any portion of a Refunding Bond purchased by the District shall be cancelled by the Paying Agent.

(vii) Refunding Bonds No Longer Outstanding. When any Refunding Bonds (or portions thereof), which have been duly called for redemption prior to maturity under the provisions of this Resolution, or with respect to which irrevocable instructions to call for redemption prior to maturity at the earliest redemption date have been given to the Paying Agent, in form satisfactory to it, and sufficient moneys shall be held by the Paying Agent irrevocably in trust for the payment of the redemption price of such Refunding Bonds or portions thereof, and, in the case of Current Interest Bonds, accrued interest with respect thereto to the date fixed for redemption, all as provided in this Resolution, then such Refunding Bonds shall no longer be deemed Outstanding and shall be surrendered to the Paying Agent for cancellation.

(c) Book-Entry System.

(i) Election of Book-Entry System. The Refunding Bonds shall initially be delivered in the form of a separate single fully-registered bond (which may be typewritten) for each maturity date of such Refunding Bonds in an authorized denomination. The ownership of each such Bond shall be registered in the Bond Register maintained by the Paying Agent in the name of the Nominee, as nominee of the Depository and ownership of the Refunding Bonds, or any portion thereof may not thereafter be transferred except as provided in Section 6(c)(i)(4).

The District and the Paying Agent shall have no responsibility or obligation to any Participant or to any person on behalf of which such a Participant holds an interest in such the Refunding Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the District and the Paying Agent shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of the Depository, the Nominee, or any Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Refunding Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any Participant or any other person, other than an Owner as shown in the Bond Register, of any notice with respect to the Refunding Bonds, including any notice of redemption, (iii) the selection by the Depository and its Participants of the beneficial interests in the Refunding Bonds to be prepaid in the event the District redeems the Refunding Bonds in part, or (iv) the payment by the Depository or any Participant or any other person, of any amount with respect to Accreted Value, Principal, premium, if any, or interest on the Refunding Bonds. The District and the Paying Agent may treat and consider the person in whose name each the Refunding Bond is registered in the Bond Register as the absolute owner (the "Registered Owner" or "Owner") of such the Refunding Bond for the purpose of payment of Accreted Value or Principal of and premium and interest on and to such Refunding Bond, for the purpose of giving notices of redemption and other matters with respect to such Refunding Bond, for the purpose of registering transfers with respect to such Refunding Bond, and for all other purposes whatsoever. The Paying Agent shall pay all Accreted Value or Principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the

Refunding Bonds only to or upon the order of the respective Owner, as shown in the Bond Register, or his respective attorney duly authorized in writing, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the District's obligations with respect to payment of Accreted Value or Principal of, and premium, if any, and interest on the Refunding Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than an Owner, as shown in the Bond Register, shall receive a certificate evidencing the obligation to make payments of Accreted Value or Principal of, and premium, if any, and interest on the Refunding Bonds. Upon delivery by the Depository to the Owner and the Paying Agent, of written notice to the effect that the Depository has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of the Nominee, and subject to the provisions herein with respect to the Record Date, the word "Nominee" in this Resolution shall refer to such nominee of the Depository.

1. Delivery of Letter of Representations. In order to qualify the Refunding Bonds for the Depository's book-entry system, the District and the Paying Agent shall execute and deliver to the Depository a Letter of Representations. The execution and delivery of a Letter of Representations shall not in any way impose upon the District or the Paying Agent any obligation whatsoever with respect to persons having interests in the Refunding Bonds other than the Owners, as shown on the Bond Register. By executing a Letter of Representations, the Paying Agent shall agree to take all action necessary at all times so that the District will be in compliance with all representations of the District in such Letter of Representations. In addition to the execution and delivery of a Letter of Representations, the District and the Paying Agent shall take such other actions, not inconsistent with this Resolution, as are reasonably necessary to qualify the Refunding Bonds for the Depository's book-entry program.

2. Selection of Depository. In the event (i) the Depository determines not to continue to act as securities depository for the Refunding Bonds, or (ii) the District determines that continuation of the book-entry system is not in the best interest of the beneficial owners of the Refunding Bonds or the District, then the District will discontinue the book-entry system with the Depository. If the District determines to replace the Depository with another qualified securities depository, the District shall prepare or direct the preparation of a new single, separate, fully registered bond for each maturity date of such the Refunding Bond, registered in the name of such successor or substitute qualified securities depository or its Nominee as provided in subsection (4) hereof. If the District fails to identify another qualified securities depository to replace the Depository, then the Refunding Bonds shall no longer be restricted to being registered in such Bond Register in the name of the Nominee, but shall be registered in whatever name or names the Owners transferring or exchanging such Refunding Bonds shall designate, in accordance with the provisions of this Section 6(c).

3. Payments to Depository. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as all outstanding Refunding Bonds are held in book-entry and registered in the name of the Nominee, all payments by the District or the Bond Register with respect to Accreted Value or Principal of and premium, if any, or interest on the Refunding Bonds and all notices with respect to such Refunding Bonds shall be made and given, respectively to the Nominee, as provided in the Letter of Representations or as otherwise instructed by the Depository and agreed to by the Paying Agent notwithstanding any inconsistent provisions herein.

4. Transfer of Refunding Bonds to Substitute Depository.

(A) The Refunding Bonds shall be initially issued as described in the Official Statement. Registered ownership of such Refunding Bonds, or any portions thereof, may not thereafter be transferred except:

(1) to any successor of DTC or its Nominee, or of any substitute depository designated pursuant to Section 6(c)(i)(4)(A)(2) ("Substitute Depository"); provided that any successor of DTC or Substitute Depository shall be qualified under any applicable laws to provide the service proposed to be provided by it;

(2) to any Substitute Depository, upon (1) the resignation of DTC or its successor (or any Substitute Depository or its successor) from its functions as depository, or (2) a determination by the District that DTC (or its successor) is no longer able to carry out its functions as depository; provided that any such Substitute Depository shall be qualified under any applicable laws to provide the services proposed to be provided by it; or

(3) to any person as provided below, upon (1) the resignation of DTC or its successor (or any Substitute Depository or its successor) from its functions as depository, or (2) a determination by the District that DTC or its successor (or Substitute Depository or its successor) is no longer able to carry out its functions as depository.

(B) In the case of any transfer pursuant to Section 6(c)(i)(4)(A)(1) or (2), upon receipt of all outstanding Refunding Bonds by the Paying Agent, together with a written request of the District to the Paying Agent designating the Substitute Depository, a single new Bond, which the District shall prepare or cause to be prepared, shall be executed and delivered for each maturity of Refunding Bonds then outstanding, registered in the name of such successor or such Substitute Depository or their Nominees, as the case may be, all as specified in such written request of the District. In the case of any transfer pursuant to Section 6(c)(i)(4)(A)(3), upon receipt of all outstanding Refunding Bonds by the Paying Agent, together with a written request of the District to the Paying Agent, new Refunding Bonds, which the District shall prepare or cause to be prepared, shall be executed and delivered in such denominations and registered in the names of such persons as are requested in such written request of the District, provided that the Paying Agent shall not be required to deliver such new Refunding Bonds within a period of less than sixty (60) days from the date of receipt of such written request from the District.

(C) In the case of a partial redemption of any Refunding Bonds evidencing a portion of the Maturity Value or Principal maturing in a particular year, DTC or its successor (or any Substitute Depository or its successor) shall make an appropriate notation on such Refunding Bonds indicating the date and amounts of such reduction in Maturity Value or Principal, in form acceptable to the Paying Agent, all in accordance with the Letter of Representations. The Paying Agent shall not be liable for such Depository's failure to make such notations or errors in making such notations.

(D) The District and the Paying Agent shall be entitled to treat the person in whose name any Bond is registered as the Owner thereof for all purposes of this Resolution and any applicable laws, notwithstanding any notice to the contrary received by the Paying Agent or the District; and the District and the Paying Agent shall not have responsibility for

transmitting payments to, communicating with, notifying, or otherwise dealing with any beneficial owners of the Refunding Bonds. Neither the District nor the Paying Agent shall have any responsibility or obligation, legal or otherwise, to any such beneficial owners or to any other party, including DTC or its successor (or Substitute Depository or its successor), except to the Owner of any Refunding Bonds, and the Paying Agent may rely conclusively on its records as to the identity of the Owners of the Refunding Bonds.

**SECTION 7. Execution of Refunding Bonds.** The Refunding Bonds shall be signed by the President of the Board of Education of the District, or a designee thereof, by his or her manual or facsimile signature and countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary to the Board, or a designee thereof, all in their official capacities. No Refunding Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose or shall be entitled to any security or benefit under this Resolution unless and until the certificate of authentication printed on the Refunding Bond is signed by the Paying Agent as authenticating agent. Authentication by the Paying Agent shall be conclusive evidence that the Refunding Bond so authenticated has been duly issued, signed and delivered under this Resolution and is entitled to the security and benefit of this Resolution. There shall be attached to each Refunding Bond, the legal opinion of Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, a Professional Corporation, and, immediately preceding such legal opinion, a certificate executed with the facsimile signature of the Secretary to the Board of Education, said certificate to be in substantially the following form:

The following is a true copy of the opinion rendered by Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, a Professional Corporation in connection with the issuance of, and dated as of the date of the original delivery of, the bonds. A signed copy is on file in my office.

(Facsimile Signature)

Secretary to the Board of Education

**SECTION 8. Paying Agent; Transfer and Exchange.** Pursuant to Section 2 hereof, the Board has appointed the Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector to act as the Paying Agent for the Refunding Bonds.

So long as any of the Refunding Bonds remain outstanding, the District will cause the Paying Agent to maintain and keep at its designated office all books and records necessary for the registration, exchange and transfer of the Refunding Bonds as provided in this Section. Subject to the provisions of Section 9 below, the person in whose name a Refunding Bond is registered on the Bond Register shall be regarded as the absolute Owner of that Refunding Bond for all purposes of this Resolution. Payment of or on account of the Principal or Accreted Value of and premium, if any, and interest on any Refunding Bond shall be made only to or upon the order of that person; neither the District nor the Paying Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary, but the registration may be changed as provided in this Section. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the District's liability upon the Refunding Bonds, including interest, to the extent of the amount or amounts so paid.

Any Refunding Bond may be exchanged for Refunding Bonds of like tenor, maturity and Transfer Amount upon presentation and surrender at the designated office of the Paying Agent, together with a request for exchange signed by the Owner or by a person legally empowered to do so

in a form satisfactory to the Paying Agent. A Refunding Bond may be transferred on the Bond Register only upon presentation and surrender of the Refunding Bond at the designated office of the Paying Agent together with an assignment executed by the Owner or by a person legally empowered to do so in a form satisfactory to the Paying Agent. Upon exchange or transfer, the Paying Agent shall complete, authenticate and deliver a new Refunding Bond or Refunding Bonds of like tenor and of any authorized denomination or denominations requested by the Owner equal to the Transfer Amount of the Refunding Bond surrendered and bearing or accruing interest at the same rate and maturing on the same date. Capital Appreciation Bonds and Current Interest Bonds may not be exchanged for one another.

If manual signatures on behalf of the District are required in connection with an exchange or transfer, the Paying Agent shall undertake the exchange or transfer of Refunding Bonds only after the new Refunding Bonds are signed by the authorized officers of the District. In all cases of exchanged or transferred Refunding Bonds, the District shall sign and the Paying Agent shall authenticate and deliver Refunding Bonds in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution. All fees and costs of transfer shall be paid by the requesting party. Those charges may be required to be paid before the procedure is begun for the exchange or transfer. All Refunding Bonds issued upon any exchange or transfer shall be valid obligations of the District, evidencing the same debt, and entitled to the same security and benefit under this Resolution as the Refunding Bonds surrendered upon that exchange or transfer.

Any Refunding Bond surrendered to the Paying Agent for payment, retirement, exchange, replacement or transfer shall be cancelled by the Paying Agent. The District may at any time deliver to the Paying Agent for cancellation any previously authenticated and delivered Refunding Bonds that the District may have acquired in any manner whatsoever, and those Refunding Bonds shall be promptly cancelled by the Paying Agent. Written reports of the surrender and cancellation of Refunding Bonds shall be made to the District by the Paying Agent as requested by the District. The cancelled Refunding Bonds shall be retained for six years, then returned to the District or destroyed by the Paying Agent as directed by the District.

Neither the District nor the Paying Agent will be required (a) to issue or transfer any Refunding Bonds during a period beginning with the opening of business on the 15th business day next preceding either any Bond Payment Date or any date of selection of Refunding Bonds to be redeemed and ending with the close of business on the Bond Payment Date or any day on which the applicable notice of redemption is given or (b) to transfer any Refunding Bonds which have been selected or called for redemption in whole or in part.

**SECTION 9. Payment.** Payment of interest on any Current Interest Bond on any Bond Payment Date shall be made to the person appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent as the Owner thereof as of the Record Date immediately preceding such Bond Payment Date, such interest to be paid by check mailed to such Owner on the Bond Payment Date at his address as it appears on such registration books or at such other address as he may have filed with the Paying Agent for that purpose on or before the Record Date. The Owner in an aggregate Principal Amount or Maturity Value of \$1,000,000 or more may request in writing to the Paying Agent that such Owner be paid interest by wire transfer to the bank and account number on file with the Paying Agent as of the Record Date. The principal, and redemption price, if any, payable on the Current Interest Bonds and the Accreted Value and redemption price, if any, on the Capital Appreciation Bonds shall be payable upon maturity or redemption upon surrender at the designated office of the



Paying Agent. The interest, Accreted Value, Principal and premiums, if any, on the Refunding Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America. The Paying Agent is hereby authorized to pay the Refunding Bonds when duly presented for payment at maturity, and to cancel all Refunding Bonds upon payment thereof. The Refunding Bonds are general obligations of the District, payable without limit as to rate or amount from the levy of *ad valorem* property taxes upon all property subject to taxation within the District.

**SECTION 10. Form of Refunding Bonds.** The Refunding Bonds shall be in substantially the following form, allowing those officials executing the Refunding Bonds to make the insertions and deletions necessary to conform the Refunding Bonds to this Resolution, the Purchase Contract and the Official Statement.

(Form of Current Interest Bond)

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CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
(LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA)  
2010 GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BOND

<u>INTEREST RATE:</u>	<u>MATURITY DATE:</u>	<u>DATED AS OF:</u>	<u>CUSIP</u>
____ % per annum	August 1, ____	____, 2010	_____

REGISTERED OWNER: CEDE & CO.

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:

The Claremont Unified School District (the "District") in Los Angeles County (the "County"), California, for value received, promises to pay to the Registered Owner named above, or registered assigns, the Principal Amount on the Maturity Date, each as stated above, and interest thereon until the Principal Amount is paid or provided for at the Interest Rate stated above, on February 1 and August 1 of each year (the "Bond Payment Dates"), commencing February 1, 2011. This bond will bear interest from the Bond Payment Date next preceding the date of authentication hereof unless it is authenticated as of a day during the period from the 15th day of the month next preceding any Bond Payment Date to the Bond Payment Date, inclusive, in which event it shall bear interest from such Bond Payment Date, or unless it is authenticated on or before January 15, 2011, in which event it shall bear interest from the Date of Delivery. Interest on this bond shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months. Principal and interest are payable in lawful money of the United States of America, without deduction for the paying agent services, to the person in whose name this bond (or, if applicable, one or more predecessor bonds) is registered (the "Registered Owner") on the Register maintained by the Paying Agent, initially U.S. Bank National Association, as agent of the Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector. Principal is payable upon presentation and surrender of this bond at the designated office of the Paying Agent. Interest is payable by check or draft mailed by the Paying Agent on each Bond Payment Date to the Registered Owner of this bond (or one or more predecessor bonds) as shown and at the address appearing on the Register at the close of business on the 15th day of the calendar month next preceding that Bond Payment Date (the "Record Date"). The Owner of Current Interest Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,000,000 or more may request in writing to the Paying Agent that the Owner be paid interest by wire transfer to the bank and account number on file with the Paying Agent as of the Record Date.

It is certified and recited that all acts and conditions required by the Constitution and laws of the State of California to exist, to occur and to be performed or to have been met precedent to and in the issuing of the bonds in order to make them legal, valid and binding general obligations of the District, have been performed and have been met in regular and due form as required by law; that payment in full for the bonds has been received; that no statutory or constitutional limitation on indebtedness or taxation has been exceeded in issuing the bonds; and that due provision has been

made for levying and collecting *ad valorem* property taxes on all of the taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay principal and interest when due.

This bond is one of an authorization of bonds issued by the District pursuant to California Government Code Section 53550 *et seq.* (the "Act") for the purpose of refunding its outstanding \$12,000,000 Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series A; its outstanding \$28,910,000 Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series B; its outstanding \$8,000,000 Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series C, and to pay all necessary legal, financial, and contingent costs in connection therewith. The bonds are being issued under authority of and pursuant to the Act, the laws of the State of California, and the resolution of the Board of Education of the District adopted on October 21, 2010 (the "Bond Resolution"). This bond and the issue of which this bond is one are general obligation bonds of the District payable as to both principal and interest solely from the proceeds of the levy of *ad valorem* taxes on all property subject to such taxes in the District, which taxes are unlimited as to rate or amount. The bonds of this issue are general obligations of the District.

The bonds of this issue are comprised of \$\_\_\_\_\_ principal amount of Current Interest Bonds, of which this bond is a part (a "Current Interest Bond") and Capital Appreciation Bonds of which \$\_\_\_\_\_ represents the Denominational Amount and \$\_\_\_\_\_ represents the Maturity Value.

This bond is exchangeable and transferable for bonds of like tenor, maturity and Transfer Amount (as defined in the Bond Resolution) and in authorized denominations at the designated office of the Paying Agent, by the Registered Owner or by a person legally empowered to do so, upon presentation and surrender hereof to the Paying Agent, together with a request for exchange or an assignment signed by the Registered Owner or by a person legally empowered to do so, in a form satisfactory to the Paying Agent, all subject to the terms, limitations and conditions provided in the Bond Resolution. All fees and costs of transfer shall be paid by the transferor. The District and the Paying Agent may deem and treat the Registered Owner as the absolute Owner of this bond for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of principal or interest and for all other purposes, and neither the District nor the Paying Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Neither the District nor the Paying Agent will be required (a) to issue or transfer any bond during a period beginning with the opening of business on the 15th business day next preceding either any Bond Payment Date or any date of selection of bonds to be redeemed and ending with the close of business on the Bond Payment Date or day on which the applicable notice of redemption is given or (b) to transfer any bond which has been selected or called for redemption in whole or in part.

The Current Interest Bonds maturing on or before August 1 are not subject to redemption prior to their fixed maturity dates. The Current Interest Bonds maturing on or after August 1, 20\_\_ are subject to redemption on or after August 1, 20\_\_ or on any date thereafter at the option of the District as a whole or in part at a redemption price equal to the principal amount thereof plus interest accrued thereon to the date fixed for redemption, without premium:

The Current Interest Bonds maturing on August 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption from moneys in the Debt Service Fund on August 1 of each year on and after

August 1, 20\_\_, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount thereof, together with accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption, without premium. The principal amounts represented by such Bonds to be so redeemed and the dates therefore and the final payment date is as indicated in the following table:

<u>Redemption Dates</u>	<u>Principal Amounts</u>
TOTAL	\$

If less than all of the bonds of any one maturity shall be called for redemption, the particular bonds or portions of bonds of such maturity to be redeemed shall be selected by lot by the District in such manner as the District in its discretion may determine; provided, however, that the portion of any bond to be redeemed shall be in the principal amount of \$5,000 or some multiple thereof. If less than all of the bonds stated to mature on different dates shall be called for redemption, the particular bonds or portions thereof to be redeemed shall be called in any order of maturity selected by the District or, if not so selected, in the inverse order of maturity.

Reference is made to the Bond Resolution for a more complete description of the provisions, among others, with respect to the nature and extent of the security for the bonds of this series, the rights, duties and obligations of the District, the Paying Agent and the Registered Owners, and the terms and conditions upon which the bonds are issued and secured. The Registered Owner of this bond assents, by acceptance hereof, to all of the provisions of the Bond Resolution.

It is certified and recited that all acts and conditions required by the Constitution and laws of the State of California to exist, to occur and to be performed or to have been met precedent to and in the issuing of the bonds in order to make them legal, valid and binding general obligations of the District, have been performed and have been met in regular and due form as required by law; that payment in full for the bonds has been received; that no statutory or constitutional limitation on indebtedness or taxation has been exceeded in issuing the bonds; and that due provision has been made for levying and collecting *ad valorem* property taxes on all of the taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay principal and interest when due.

This bond shall not be valid or obligatory for any purpose and shall not be entitled to any security or benefit under the Bond Resolution until the Certificate of Authentication below has been signed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Claremont Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, has caused this bond to be executed on behalf of the District and in their official capacities by the manual or facsimile signatures of the President of the Board of Education of the District, and to be countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature to the Secretary to the Board of Education of the District, all as of the date stated above.

**CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

By: \_\_\_\_\_ (Facsimile Signature)  
President, Board of Education

**COUNTERSIGNED:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Facsimile Signature)  
Secretary to the Board of Education

**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION**

This bond is one of the bonds described in the Bond Resolution referred to herein which has been authenticated and registered on \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.

TREASURER AND TAX COLLECTOR OF  
LOS ANGELES COUNTY, as Paying Agent

By: U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as  
agent

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory

## ASSIGNMENT

For value received, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers to (print or typewrite name, address and zip code of Transferee): \_\_\_\_\_ this bond and irrevocably constitutes and appoints attorney to transfer this bond on the books for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Guaranteed:

\_\_\_\_\_

Notice: The assignor's signature to this assignment must correspond with the name as it appears upon the within bond in every particular, without alteration or any change whatever, and the signature(s) must be guaranteed by an eligible guarantor institution.

Social Security Number, Taxpayer Identification Number or other identifying number of Assignee: \_\_\_\_\_

Unless this certificate is presented by an authorized representative of The Depository Trust Company to the issuer or its agent for registration of transfer, exchange or payment, and any certificate issued is registered in the name of Cede & Co. or such other name as requested by an authorized representative of The Depository Trust Company and any payment is made to Cede & Co., ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL since the registered owner hereof, Cede & Co., has an interest herein.

## LEGAL OPINION

The following is a true copy of the opinion rendered by Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, a Professional Corporation in connection with the issuance of, and dated as of the date of the original delivery of, the bonds. A signed copy is on file in my office.

(Facsimile Signature)

Secretary to the Board of Education

(Form of Legal Opinion)

(Form of Capital Appreciation Bond)

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CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
(LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA)  
2010 GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BOND

<u>ACCRETION RATE:</u>	<u>MATURITY DATE:</u>	<u>DATED AS OF:</u>	<u>CUSIP</u>
___ % per annum	August 1, ___	_____, 2010	_____

REGISTERED OWNER: CEDE & CO.

DENOMINATIONAL AMOUNT:

MATURITY VALUE:

The Claremont Unified School District (the "District") in Los Angeles County, California (the "County"), for value received, promises to pay to the Registered Owner named above, or registered assigns, the Maturity Value on the Maturity Date, each as stated above, such Maturity Value being comprised of the Denominational Amount and interest accreted thereon. This bond will not bear current interest but will accrete interest, compounded on each February 1 and August 1, commencing February 1, 2011, at the Accretion Rate specified above to the Maturity Date, assuming that in any such semiannual period the sum of such compounded accreted interest and the Denominational Amount (such sum being herein called the "Accreted Value") increases in equal daily amounts on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. Accreted Value and redemption premium, if any, are payable in lawful money of the United States of America, without deduction for the paying agent services, to the person in whose name this bond (or, if applicable, one or more predecessor bonds) is registered (the "Registered Owner") on the Register maintained by the Paying Agent, initially U.S. Bank National Association, as agent of the Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector. Accreted Value and redemption premium, if any, are payable upon presentation and surrender of this bond at the designated office of the Paying Agent.

It is certified and recited that all acts and conditions required by the Constitution and laws of the State of California to exist, to occur and to be performed or to have been met precedent to and in the issuing of the bonds in order to make them legal, valid and binding general obligations of the District, have been performed and have been met in regular and due form as required by law; that payment in full for the bonds has been received; that no statutory or constitutional limitation on indebtedness or taxation has been exceeded in issuing the bonds; and that due provision has been made for levying and collecting *ad valorem* property taxes on all of the taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay principal and interest when due.

This bond is one of an authorization of bonds issued by the District pursuant to California Government Code Section 53550 *et seq.* (the "Act") for the purpose of refunding its outstanding \$12,000,000 Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series A; its outstanding \$28,910,000 Claremont Unified School District



(Los Angeles County, California) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series B; its outstanding \$8,000,000 Claremont Unified School District (Los Angeles County, California) Election of 2000 General Obligation Bonds, Series C, and to pay all necessary legal, financial, and contingent costs in connection therewith. The bonds are being issued under authority of and pursuant to the Act, the laws of the State of California, and the resolution of the Board of Education of the District adopted on October 21, 2010 (the "Bond Resolution"). This bond and the issue of which this bond is one are general obligations of the District payable as to both principal and interest solely from the proceeds of the levy of *ad valorem* taxes on all property subject to such taxes in the District, which taxes are unlimited as to rate or amount.

The bonds of this issue are comprised of \$\_\_\_\_\_ principal amount of Current Interest Bonds (each a "Current Interest Bond") and Capital Appreciation Bonds, of which this bond is a part, in the Denominational Amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ and the Maturity Value of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

This bond is exchangeable and transferable for bonds of like tenor, maturity and Transfer Amount (as defined in the Bond Resolution) and in authorized denominations at the designated office of the Paying Agent, by the Registered Owner or by a person legally empowered to do so, upon presentation and surrender hereof to the Paying Agent, together with a request for exchange or an assignment signed by the Registered Owner or by a person legally empowered to do so in a form satisfactory to the Paying Agent, all subject to the terms, limitations and conditions provided in the Bond Resolution. All fees and costs of transfer shall be paid by the transferor. The District and the Paying Agent may deem and treat the Registered Owner as the absolute owner of this bond for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of principal or interest and for all other purposes, and neither the District nor the Paying Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Neither the District nor the Paying Agent will be required (a) to issue or transfer any bond during a period beginning with the opening of business on the 15th business day next preceding either any Bond Payment Date or any date of selection of bonds to be redeemed and ending with the close of business on the Bond Payment Date or day on which the applicable notice of redemption is given or (b) to transfer any bond which has been selected or called for redemption in whole or in part.

The Capital Appreciation Bonds are not subject to redemption prior to maturity.

Reference is made to the Bond Resolution for a more complete description of the provisions, among others, with respect to the nature and extent of the security for the Capital Appreciation Bonds of this series, the rights, duties and obligations of the District, the Paying Agent and the Registered Owners, and the terms and conditions upon which the bonds are issued and secured. The Registered Owner of this bond assents, by acceptance hereof, to all of the provisions of the Bond Resolution.

It is certified and recited that all acts and conditions required by the Constitution and laws of the State of California to exist, to occur and to be performed or to have been met precedent to and in the issuing of the bonds in order to make them legal, valid and binding general obligations of the District, have been performed and have been met in regular and due form as required by law; that payment in full for the bonds has been received; that no statutory or constitutional limitation on indebtedness or taxation has been exceeded in issuing the bonds; and that due provision has been made for levying and collecting *ad valorem* property taxes on all of the taxable property within the District in an amount sufficient to pay principal and interest when due.

This bond shall not be valid or obligatory for any purpose and shall not be entitled to any security or benefit under the Bond Resolution until the Certificate of Authentication below has been signed.

ADOPTION COPY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Claremont Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, has caused this bond to be executed on behalf of the District and in their official capacities by the manual or facsimile signatures of the President of the Board of Education of the District, and to be countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary to the Board of Education of the District, all as of the date stated above.

CLAREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

By: \_\_\_\_\_ (Facsimile Signature)  
President, Board of Education

COUNTERSIGNED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Facsimile Signature)  
Secretary to the Board of Education

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This bond is one of the bonds described in the Bond Resolution referred to herein which has been authenticated and registered on \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.

TREASURER AND TAX COLLECTOR OF  
LOS ANGELES COUNTY, as Paying Agent

By: U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as  
agent

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory

## ASSIGNMENT

For value received, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers to (print or typewrite name, address and zip code of Transferee): \_\_\_\_\_ this bond and irrevocably constitutes and appoints attorney to transfer this bond on the books for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Guaranteed:

\_\_\_\_\_

Notice: The assignor's signature to this assignment must correspond with the name as it appears upon the within bond in every particular, without alteration or any change whatever, and the signature(s) must be guaranteed by an eligible guarantor institution.

Social Security Number, Taxpayer Identification Number or other identifying number of Assignee: \_\_\_\_\_

Unless this certificate is presented by an authorized representative of The Depository Trust Company to the issuer or its agent for registration of transfer, exchange or payment, and any certificate issued is registered in the name of Cede & Co. or such other name as requested by an authorized representative of The Depository Trust Company and any payment is made to Cede & Co., ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL since the registered owner hereof, Cede & Co., has an interest herein.

## LEGAL OPINION

The following is a true copy of the opinion rendered by Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, a Professional Corporation in connection with the issuance of, and dated as of the date of the original delivery of, the bonds. A signed copy is on file in my office.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Facsimile Signature)

Secretary to the Board of Education

(Form of Legal Opinion)

**SECTION 11. Delivery of Refunding Bonds.** The proper officials of the District shall cause the Refunding Bonds to be prepared and, following their sale, shall have the Refunding Bonds signed and delivered, together with a true transcript of proceedings with reference to the issuance of the Refunding Bonds, to the original purchaser upon payment of the purchase price therefor.

**SECTION 12. Deposit of Proceeds of Refunding Bonds; Escrow Agreement.** An amount of the net proceeds from the sale of the Refunding Bonds necessary to purchase the Federal Securities sufficient to refund the Refunded Bonds shall be transferred to the Escrow Agent for deposit in the escrow fund (the "Escrow Fund") established under the Escrow Agreement, which amount, together with an amount or amounts of cash held uninvested therein, shall be sufficient to refund the Refunded Bonds all as set forth in a certificate of an Authorized Officer. Premium or proceeds of the sale of the Refunding Bonds necessary to pay all or a portion of the costs of issuing the Refunding Bonds may be deposited in a fund held by the Paying Agent and known as "Claremont Unified School District 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds Cost of Issuance Fund" (the "Cost of Issuance Fund") and shall be kept separate and distinct from all other District funds, and those proceeds shall be used solely for the purpose of paying costs of issuance of the Refunding Bonds.

Any accrued interest and premium received by the District from the sale of the Refunding Bonds shall be kept separate and apart in the fund hereby created and established and to be designated as the "Claremont Unified School District 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds Debt Service Fund" (the "Debt Service Fund") for the Refunding Bonds and used only for payments of principal and interest on the Refunding Bonds. The Debt Service Fund may, at the discretion of the District, be held by the County. Any premium received by the District from the sale of the Refunding Bonds not needed to pay for cost of issuance shall be deposited in either the Debt Service Fund or the Escrow Fund. Any excess proceeds of the Refunding Bonds not needed for the authorized purposes set forth herein for which the Refunding Bonds are being issued shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund and applied to the payment of the principal and interest on the Refunding Bonds. If, after payment in full of the Refunding Bonds, there remain excess proceeds, any such excess amounts shall be transferred to the general fund of the District. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the provisions of this Section 12 as they relate to the application of any premium received by the District from the sale of the Refunding Bonds may be amended by the Purchase Contract or the Official Statement so long as the transactions contemplated by such amendment are in compliance with the provisions of the Act.

The moneys in the Debt Service Fund, to the extent necessary to pay the principal and Maturity Value of and interest on the Refunding Bonds as the same become due and payable, shall be transferred by the Treasurer and Tax Collector of the County, if the Debt Service Fund is held by the County, to the Paying Agent which, in turn, shall pay such moneys to DTC to pay the principal and Maturity Value of and interest on the Refunding Bonds. DTC will thereupon make payments of Principal and interest on the Refunding Bonds to the DTC Participants who will thereupon make payments of Principal and interest to the beneficial owners of the Refunding Bonds. Any moneys remaining in the Debt Service Fund after the Refunding Bonds and the interest thereon have been paid, or provision for such payment has been made, shall be transferred to the general fund of the District.

Except as required below to satisfy the requirements of Section 148(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), interest earned on the investment of monies held

in the Debt Service Fund shall be retained in the Debt Service Fund and used to pay principal and interest on the Refunding Bonds when due.

### **SECTION 13. Rebate Fund.**

(a) General. If necessary, there shall be created and established a special fund designated the "Claremont Unified School District 2010 General Obligation Refunding Bonds Rebate Fund" (the "Rebate Fund"). All amounts at any time on deposit in the Rebate Fund shall be held in trust, to the extent required to satisfy the requirement to make rebate payments to the United States (the "Rebate Requirement") pursuant to Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), as the same may be amended from time to time, and the Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder (the "Rebate Regulations"). Such amounts shall be free and clear of any lien hereunder and shall be governed by this Section and Section 14 of this Resolution and by the Tax Certificate concerning certain matters pertaining to the use and investment of proceeds of the Refunding Bonds, executed and delivered to the District on the date of issuance of the Refunding Bonds, including any and all exhibits attached thereto (the "Tax Certificate").

#### **(b) Deposits.**

(i) Within forty-five (45) days of the end of each fifth Bond Year (as such term is defined in the Tax Certificate) (1) the District shall calculate or cause to be calculated with respect to the Refunding Bonds the amount that would be considered the "rebate amount" within the meaning of Section 1.148-3 of the Rebate Regulations, using as the "computation date" for this purpose the end of such five Bond Years, and (2) the District shall deposit to the Rebate Fund from deposits from the District or from amounts available therefor on deposit in the other funds established hereunder, if and to the extent required, amounts sufficient to cause the balance in the Rebate Fund to be equal to the "rebate amount" so calculated.

(ii) The District shall not be required to deposit any amount to the Rebate Fund in accordance with the preceding sentence if the amount on deposit in the Rebate Fund prior to the deposit required to be made under this subsection (b) equals or exceeds the "rebate amount" calculated in accordance with the preceding sentence. Such excess may be withdrawn from the Rebate Fund to the extent permitted under subsection (g) of this Section.

(iii) The District shall not be required to calculate the "rebate amount" and the District shall not be required to deposit any amount to the Rebate Fund in accordance with this subsection (b), with respect to all or a portion of the proceeds of the Refunding Bonds (including amounts treated as the proceeds of the Refunding Bonds) (1) to the extent such proceeds satisfy the expenditure requirements of Section 148(f)(4)(B) or Section 148 (f)(4)(C) of the Code or Section 1.148-7(d) of the Treasury Regulations or the small issuer exception of Section 148(f)(4)(D) of the Code, whichever is applicable, and otherwise qualify for the exception of the Rebate Requirement pursuant to whichever of said sections is applicable, or (2) to the extent such proceeds are subject to an election by the District under Section 148(f)(4)(C)(vii) of the Code to pay a one and one-half percent (1½%) penalty in lieu of arbitrage rebate in the event any of the percentage expenditure requirements of Section 148(f)(4)(C) are not satisfied, or (3) to the extent such proceeds qualify for the exception to arbitrage rebate under Section 148(f)(4)(A)(ii) of the Code for amounts in a "bona

fide debt service fund.” In such event, and with respect to such amounts, the District shall not be required to deposit any amount to the Rebate Fund in accordance with this subsection (b).

(c) Withdrawal Following Payment of Refunding Bonds. Any funds remaining in the Rebate Fund after redemption of all the Refunding Bonds and any amounts described in paragraph (ii) of subsection (d) of this Section, including accrued interest, shall be transferred to the General Fund of the District.

(d) Withdrawal for Payment of Rebate. Subject to the exceptions contained in subsection (b) of this Section to the requirement to calculate the “rebate amount” and make deposits to the Rebate Fund, the District shall pay to the United States, from amounts on deposit in the Rebate Fund,

(i) not later than sixty (60) days after the end of (a) the fifth (5th) Bond Year, and (b) each fifth (5th) Bond Year thereafter, an amount that, together with all previous rebate payments, is equal to at least 90% of the “rebate amount” calculated as of the end of such Bond Year in accordance with Section 1.148-3 of the Rebate Regulations; and

(ii) not later than sixty (60) days after the payment of all Refunding Bonds, an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the “rebate amount” calculated as of the date of such payment (and any income attributable to the “rebate amount” determined to be due and payable) in accordance with Section 1.148-3 of the Rebate Regulations.

(e) Rebate Payments. Each payment required to be made pursuant to subsection (d) of this Section shall be made to the Internal Revenue Service Center, Ogden, Utah 84201, on or before the date on which such payment is due, and shall be accompanied by Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-T, such form to be prepared or caused to be prepared by or on behalf of the District.

(f) Deficiencies in the Rebate Fund. In the event that, prior to the time of any payment required to be made from the Rebate Fund, the amount in the Rebate Fund is not sufficient to make such payment when such payment is due, the District shall calculate the amount of such deficiency and deposit an amount equal to such deficiency into the Rebate Fund prior to the time such payment is due.

(g) Withdrawals of Excess Amount. In the event that immediately following the calculation required by subsection (b) of this Section, but prior to any deposit made under said subsection, the amount on deposit in the Rebate Fund exceeds the “rebate amount” calculated in accordance with said subsection, upon written instructions from the District, the District shall withdraw the excess from the Rebate Fund and credit such excess to the Debt Service Fund.

(h) Record Retention. The District shall retain records of all determinations made hereunder until three years after the retirement of the Refunding Bonds.

(i) Survival of Defeasance. Notwithstanding anything in this Resolution to the contrary, the Rebate Requirement shall survive the payment in full or defeasance of the Refunding Bonds.

**SECTION 14. Security for the Refunding Bonds.** There shall be levied on all the taxable property in the District, in addition to all other taxes, a continuing direct *ad valorem* tax annually during the period the Refunding Bonds are outstanding in an amount sufficient to pay the principal and Maturity Value of and interest on the Refunding Bonds when due, which moneys when collected



will be placed in the Debt Service Fund of the District, which fund is irrevocably pledged for the payment of the Principal and Maturity Value of and interest on the Refunding Bonds when and as the same fall due. The District covenants to cause Los Angeles County to take all actions necessary to levy such *ad valorem* tax in accordance with this Section 14 and Section 53559 of the Act.

**SECTION 15. Arbitrage Covenant.** The District will restrict the use of the proceeds of the Refunding Bonds in such manner and to such extent, if any, as may be necessary, so that the Refunding Bonds will not constitute arbitrage bonds under Section 148 of the Code and the applicable regulations prescribed under that Section or any predecessor section.

**SECTION 16. Legislative Determinations.** The Board determines that all acts and conditions necessary to be performed by the Board or to have been met precedent to and in the issuing of the Refunding Bonds in order to make them legal, valid and binding general obligations of the District have been performed and have been met, or will at the time of delivery of the Refunding Bonds have been performed and have been met, in regular and due form as required by law; and that no statutory or constitutional limitation of indebtedness or taxation will have been exceeded in the issuance of the Refunding Bonds. Furthermore, the Board finds and determines pursuant to Section 53552 of the Act that the prudent management of the fiscal affairs of the District requires that it issue the Refunding Bonds without submitting the question of the issuance of the Refunding Bonds to a vote of the qualified electors of the District.

**SECTION 17. Official Statement.** The Preliminary Official Statement relating to the Refunding Bonds, substantially in the form on file with the Secretary to the Board is hereby approved and the Authorized Officers, each alone, are hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the District, to deliver such Preliminary Official Statement to the Underwriter to be used in connection with the offering and sale of the Refunding Bonds. The Authorized Officers, each alone, are hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the District, to deem the Preliminary Official Statement "final" pursuant to 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, prior to its distribution and to execute and deliver to the Underwriter a final Official Statement, substantially in the form of the Preliminary Official Statement, with such changes therein, deletions therefrom and modifications thereto as the Authorized Officer executing the same shall approve. The Underwriter is hereby authorized to distribute copies of the Preliminary Official Statement to persons who may be interested in the purchase of the Refunding Bonds and is directed to deliver copies of any final Official Statement to the purchasers of the Refunding Bonds. Execution of the Official Statement shall conclusively evidence the District's approval of the Official Statement.

**SECTION 18. Insurance.** In the event the District purchases bond insurance for the Refunding Bonds, and to the extent that the Bond Insurer makes payment of the Principal, interest or Accreted Value of the Refunding Bonds, it shall become the Owner of such Refunding Bonds with the right to payment of Principal, interest or Accreted Interest on the Refunding Bonds, and shall be fully subrogated to all of the Owners' rights, including the Owners' rights to payment thereof. To evidence such subrogation (i) in the case of subrogation as to claims that were past due interest components, the Paying Agent shall note the Bond Insurer's rights as subrogee on the registration books for the Refunding Bonds maintained by the Paying Agent upon receipt of a copy of the cancelled check issued by the Bond Insurer for the payment of such interest to the Owners of the Refunding Bonds, and (ii) in the case of subrogation as to claims for past due Principal or Accreted Value, the Paying Agent shall note the Bond Insurer as subrogee on the registration books for the

Refunding Bonds maintained by the Paying Agent upon surrender of the Refunding Bonds by the Owners thereof to the Bond Insurer or the insurance trustee for the Bond Insurer.

**SECTION 19. Defeasance.** All or any portion of the outstanding maturities of the Refunding Bonds may be defeased prior to maturity in the following ways:

(a) Cash: by irrevocably depositing with an independent escrow agent selected by the District an amount of cash which together with amounts then on deposit in the Debt Service Fund is sufficient to pay all Refunding Bonds outstanding and designated for defeasance (including all Principal, Accreted Value and interest represented thereby and prepayment premiums, if any) at or before their maturity date; or

(b) Government Obligations: by irrevocably depositing with an independent escrow agent selected by the District noncallable Government Obligations, together with cash, if required, in such amount as will, in the opinion of an independent certified public accountant, together with interest to accrue thereon and moneys then on deposit in the Debt Service Fund together with the interest to accrue thereon, be fully sufficient to pay and discharge all Refunding Bonds outstanding and designated for defeasance (including all Principal, Accreted Value and interest represented thereby and prepayment premiums, if any) at or before their maturity date;

then, notwithstanding that any of such Refunding Bonds shall not have been surrendered for payment, all obligations of the District with respect to all such designated outstanding Refunding Bonds shall cease and terminate, except only the obligation of the Paying Agent or an independent escrow agent selected by the District to pay or cause to be paid from funds deposited pursuant to paragraphs (a) or (b) of this Section, to the Owners of such designated Refunding Bonds not so surrendered and paid all sums due with respect thereto.

For purposes of this Section, Government Obligations shall mean:

Direct and general obligations of the United States of America (which may consist of obligations of the Resolution Funding Corporation that constitute interest strips), or obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States of America, or "prerefunded" municipal obligations rated in the highest rating category by Moody's Investors Service or Standard & Poor's. In the case of direct and general obligations of the United States of America, Government Obligations shall include evidences of direct ownership of proportionate interests in future interest or principal payments of such obligations. Investments in such proportionate interests must be limited to circumstances where (a) a bank or trust company acts as custodian and holds the underlying United States obligations; (b) the owner of the investment is the real party in interest and has the right to proceed directly and individually against the obligor of the underlying United States obligations; and (c) the underlying United States obligations are held in a special account, segregated from the custodian's general assets, and are not available to satisfy any claim of the custodian, any person claiming through the custodian, or any person to whom the custodian may be obligated; provided that such obligations are rated or assessed "AAA" by Standard & Poor's or "Aaa" by Moody's Investors Service.

**SECTION 20. Other Actions, Determinations and Approvals.**

(a) Officers of the Board, District Officials and staff are hereby authorized and directed, jointly and severally, to do any and all things and to execute and deliver any and all documents which they may deem necessary or advisable in order to proceed with the issuance of the Refunding Bonds and otherwise carry out, give effect to and comply with the terms and intent of this Resolution. Such actions heretofore taken by such officers, officials and staff are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

(b) The Board hereby finds and determines that both the total net interest cost to maturity on the Refunding Bonds plus the principal amount of the Refunding Bonds will be less than the total net interest cost to maturity on the Refunded Bonds plus the principal amount of the Refunded Bonds, and the total net interest cost to maturity on the Refunding Bonds plus the principal amount of the Refunding Bonds attributable to the Series A Bonds, Series B Bonds and Series C Bonds, respectively, will be less than the net interest cost to maturity plus the principal amount of the Refunding Bonds attributable to such series of Refunded Bonds.

(c) The Board anticipates that the Prior Bonds to be redeemed will be redeemed on or about February 1, 2011 with respect to the Series A Bonds and Series B Bonds, and on or about December 15, 2010 with respect to the Series C Bonds.

(d) The Board hereby appoints U.S. Bank National Association as Escrow Agent for the Refunding Bonds and authorizes the preparation of the Escrow Agreement by Bond Counsel. The Authorized Officers, each alone, are hereby authorized to execute the Escrow Agreement with such changes as they shall approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such individual's execution and delivery thereof.

(e) The Board hereby appoints Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, a Professional Corporation, San Francisco, California, as Bond Counsel and Disclosure Counsel to the District, and Piper Jaffray, El Segundo, California, as Underwriter, and Northcross Hill & Ach, Inc. as Financial Advisor, all with respect to the issuance of the Refunding Bonds.

(f) Notwithstanding any other provisions herein, the provisions of this Resolution may be amended by the Purchase Contract and the Official Statement; if the Purchase Contract so provides, the Refunding Bonds may be issued as crossover refunding bonds pursuant to Section 53558(b) of the Government Code.

**SECTION 21. Resolution to the County.** The Secretary to this Board is hereby directed to provide a certified copy of this Resolution to the Treasurer and Tax Collector of Los Angeles County immediately following its adoption.

**SECTION 22. Continuing Disclosure.** The District hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of that certain Continuing Disclosure Certificate executed by the District and dated the date of issuance and delivery of the Refunding Bonds, as originally executed and as it may be amended from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof. Any Bondholder may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the District to comply with its obligations

under this Section. Noncompliance with this Section shall not result in acceleration of the Refunding Bonds.

**SECTION 23. Recitals.** All the recitals in this Resolution above are true and correct and this Board so finds, determines and represents.

**SECTION 24. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

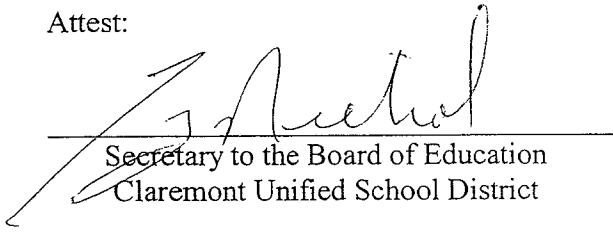
**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 21st day of October, 2010, by the following vote:

AYES:	5
NOES:	0
ABSENT:	0
ABSTENTIONS:	0

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President, Board of Education  
Claremont Unified School District

Attest:

  
Secretary to the Board of Education  
Claremont Unified School District

## SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

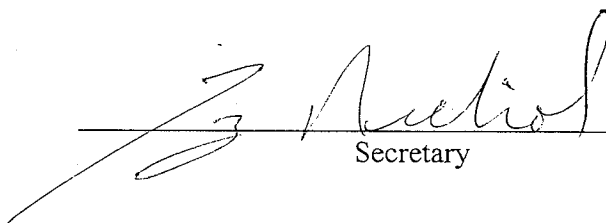
I, Terry Nichols, Ed.D., Secretary to the Board of Education of the Claremont Unified School District, hereby certify as follows:

The foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Education of said District duly and regularly and legally held at the regular meeting place thereof on October 21, 2010, of which meeting all of the members of the Board of said District had due notice and at which a quorum was present.

I have carefully compared the same with the original minutes of said meeting on file and of record in my office and the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original resolution adopted at said meeting and entered in said minutes.

Said resolution has not been amended, modified or rescinded since the date of its adoption, and the same is now in full force and effect.

Dated: October 21, 2010

  
Secretary